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Results: Nine of 420 Test Positive for COVID-19; DPHSS Updates Enrolled Provider List for COVID-19 Vaccinations; VAPPC Approves Vaccinations for Senators; COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for February 10-13 at UOG Fieldhouse; COVID-19 Homebound Vaccinations Continue Through February 12; Two GDOE Students Test Positive for COVID-19

**Results: Nine New Cases of COVID-19** 

Nine (9) new cases of COVID-19 were identified out of 420 tests performed on Monday, February 8. Two (2) cases reported recent travel history and were identified in quarantine.

To date, there have been a total of **7,673** officially reported cases of COVID-19 with **130** deaths, **92** cases in active isolation, and **7,451** not in active isolation.

# TODAY'S CAR SCORE<sup>1</sup>

1.0

The COVID Area Risk (CAR) Score accounts for the incidence of new cases, how well current testing identifies these cases, and the rate of spread. The ideal long-term goal is to sustain a CAR Score of 2.5 or less, which has been shown to correlate with very low to zero COVID-related hospitalizations and deaths.

The following tables provide COVID-19 test results reported to the JIC on Tuesday, February 9, and reflects results from Monday, February 8:

COVID-19 CASE COUNT	TOTAL	NEW CASES REPORTED TODAY	PAST 7 DAYS
COVID-19 CASES:	7,673	9	63
CONFIRMED CASES:	7,466	9	63
PROBABLE CASES:	207	0	0

COVID-19 TESTING ON GUAM	TOTAL	NEW TESTS REPORTED TODAY	7-DAY % POSITIVE
DIAGNOSTIC TESTS	119,113	420	2.6%
MOLECULAR TESTS	110,595	408	2.8%
<b>ANTIGEN TEST</b>	8,518	12	0.0%
SEROLOGY TESTS	345	1	0.0%

COVID HOSPITAL CENSUS	Guam Memorial Hospital	Guam Regional Medical City	U.S. Naval Hospital	TOTAL
COVID ADMISSION	6	2	0	8
IN ICU	2	1	0	3
ON VENTILATOR	2	1	0	3

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COVID-19 Death	130	Hospital	8
Active Isolation	92	Home	38
Not In Isolation	7,451	Isolation Facility	21
Civilian	7,288	Military	25
Military Service Member	385		

The following provides preliminary COVID-19 vaccinations reported to the JIC on Tuesday, February 9, for vaccinations administered from December 17 to February 8:

Vaccine Maker	Total Doses Administered	1st Doses Administered	2nd Doses Administered	Individuals Fully Immunized
Pfizer-BioNTech	20,946	13,521	7,425*	7,425
Moderna	14,870	13,519**	1,351***	1,351
TOTALS:	35,816	27,040	8,776	8,776

<sup>\*</sup>Administering second doses of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 4, 2021.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Administering second doses of Moderna COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 29, 2021.

Total Doses Administered	Total Doses Allotted	% Administered	Doses Remaining
35,816 <sup>^</sup>	51,300^^	69.81%	15,484

<sup>^</sup>As of February 8, 2021 | ^^Reflects the previous allocation total of 43,500 and last received allocation of 7,800 on February 7, 2021

#### **DPHSS Updates Enrolled Provider List for COVID-19 Vaccinations**

In addition to ongoing vaccination clinics held at the UOG Fieldhouse, eligible Guam residents may contact any of the below participating DPHSS enrolled provider private clinics and pharmacies to receive their COVID-19 vaccine:

#### **Enrolled Provider List for COVID-19 Vaccinations** Guam Behavioral Health & Wellness IHP Medical Group Adult Health Clinic Center American Medical Clinic - Rexall Drugs Mangilao Guam Memorial Hospital Authority • American Medical Clinic - Oka Guam Regional Medical City The Doctors Clinic • American Medical Clinic - Tumon • Guam Seventh Day Adventist Clinic Tumon Medical Office Cancer Center of Guam HagatnaMED Clinic United Family Clinic • FHP Health Center · Health Service of the Pacific

Public and private clinics and pharmacies may become enrolled providers after first agreeing to participate in the DPHSS vaccination plan. Enrolled providers must meet local and federal storage and handling requirements for COVID-19 vaccines as established by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), designate staff to complete CDC online training and certification courses, and enroll to report vaccine administration through DPHSS Immunization Registry to meet CDC reporting requirements.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Administering first doses of Moderna COVID-19 vaccinations began on January 8, 2021.

Enrolled providers will continue to receive COVID-19 vaccination allocations from DPHSS monthly if the island's vaccination allocation supply permits and if they continue to uphold these local and federal requirements.

# **VAPPC Approves Vaccinations for Senators**

During their meeting on Tuesday, February 9, the Vaccine and Antiviral Prioritization Policy Committee (VAPPC) approved vaccinations for all members of the 36th Guam Legislature. As critical service workers in the legislative branch and to ensure continuity of government, all 15 senators, regardless of age, are now eligible to receive the COVID-19 vaccine.

DPHSS	DPHSS COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINIC SCHEDULE: FEBRUARY 10 – 13					
DATE	TIME	VACCINE MAKE	LOCATION & REGISTRATION			
Wednesday, Feb. 10		Moderna (Dose 2) Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 2)  Pfizer-BioNTech (Dose 1) Limited to 50 doses per hour	UOG Fieldhouse, Mangilao Register: tinyurl.com/liberategu2			
Thursday, Feb. 11	1 p.m		UOG Fieldhouse, Mangilao Register: tinyurl.com/liberategu1			
Friday, Feb. 12	7 p.m.		UOG Fieldhouse, Mangilao Register: tinyurl.com/liberategu1			
Saturday, Feb. 13			UOG Fieldhouse, Mangilao Register: tinyurl.com/liberategu1			

PHASE 1a/1b/c – CATEGORY: Healthcare workers; local and federal law enforcement personnel; Childcare Center employees; adults 55 years and older; Mayors' Council of Guam (limited to mayors, vice mayors, and mayoral staff); funeral homes, mortuary, and cemetery staff; service providers contracted with the DPHSS Division of Senior Citizens providing direct patient or client care such as transportation for medical appointments, homebound meals, in-home services, caregiver services, case management, shelter care, adult daycare, and other direct services; and others who are due for dose two of the vaccine. Upon arrival, individuals 70 years and older will be sent to the front of the line.

## **COVID-19 Vaccination Schedule for February 9-13 at UOG Fieldhouse**

COVID-19 vaccination clinics continue through Saturday, February 13, at the UOG Fieldhouse from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. These clinics will prioritize those due for their second dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna vaccine. Pfizer-BioNTech first doses will be limited to 50 per hour for eligible individuals. No first doses of the Moderna vaccine will be administered. Residents are advised to schedule an appointment online via Eventbrite. Click <a href="here">here</a> to schedule and to learn more about eligibility requirements.

Due to a higher demand for second dose vaccines on Wednesday, February 10, there is a separate Eventbrite link to schedule appointments. This clinic will prioritize those due for their second dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna vaccine. Pfizer-BioNTech first doses will be limited to 50 per hour for eligible individuals. No first doses of the Moderna vaccine will be administered. Click <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a> to schedule and to learn more about eligibility requirements.

Upon arrival, individuals 70 years and older will be sent to the front of the line. Please bring a digital or hard copy appointment confirmation and a photo ID. Those due for their second dose are reminded to bring their COVID-19 immunization card. This ensures quicker processing and proper documentation.

# **COVID-19 Homebound Vaccinations Continue Through February 12**

DPHSS, in partnership with the MCOG and GDOE, continues homebound vaccinations for those who pre-registered with their respective village mayors and met the eligibility criteria. The homebound vaccinations schedule for this week is as follows:

COVID-19 HOMEBOUND VACCINATION SCHEDULE: February 9 – 12					
DATE	TIME	VACCINE MAKE	SERVICE VILLAGE/LOCATIONS		
Wednesday, Feb. 10	8 a.m 5	Moderna	• Dededo, GHURA 82		
Thursday, Feb. 11	p.m.	(Dose 1)	Global Dorm, Guma San Jose		
Friday, Feb. 12			• Yigo		

#### **Two GDOE Students Test Positive for COVID-19**

On Monday, February 8, 2021, the Guam Department of Education (GDOE) confirmed two separate incidents in which two GDOE students tested positive for COVID-19. One student attends Adacao Elementary School and the other student attends Chief Brodie Memorial School.

GDOE, in collaboration with DPHSS, has identified and notified the individuals who were in close contact with the students. Those individuals will remain in quarantine until such time as they are cleared by DPHSS to return to school. Areas of the campus have been cleaned and disinfected in preparation for face-to-face instruction. Face-to-face instruction will continue as scheduled on Wednesday, February 10, 2021.

## **Pre-screening Eligibility for COVID-19 Vaccinations**

To take the COVID-19 vaccine, you must meet the following pre-screening eligibility criteria\*:

- Must not be currently infected with COVID-19 or previously exposed within the last 14 days
- Must not have received any other vaccine, such as the flu shot, in the last 14 days \*Please note: If this is your first time receiving the COVID-19 vaccine, please make sure you have never taken other COVID-19 vaccine products. Please visit <a href="mailto:dphss.guam.gov">dphss.guam.gov</a> to view the pre-screening eligibility.

## **V-Safe Vaccine Symptom Monitoring**

After receiving the COVID-19 vaccine, register for v-safe, offered by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). V-safe is a smartphone-based tool that uses text messaging and web surveys to provide personalized health check-ins. You can quickly report side effects, and depending on your answers, you may receive a call from CDC. V-safe will remind you to get your second dose of the COVID-19 vaccine. Sign up at <a href="www.vsafe.cdc.gov">vsafe.cdc.gov</a>.

#### **GBHWC Crisis Hotline**

The Guam Behavioral Health and Wellness Center (GBHWC) has a Crisis Hotline available 24/7 at (671) 647-8833/4. For those feeling anxious, stressed, overwhelmed, or are needing to talk to someone, GBHWC has experienced providers available and ready to assist the community with any heightened stress and anxiety experienced as a result of COVID-19.

For the latest information on COVID-19, visit <u>dphss.guam.gov</u> or <u>guamrecovery.com</u>. For inquiries on COVID-19, contact 311 through a local number, or call the Joint Information Center at (671) 478-0208/09/10.